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*"The Improved Front-Laced"*

Miss Elizabeth Smith, special corsetiere representing the manufacturers, is demonstrating, by actual fittings, "Modart" quality and the important significance of these improved front-laced corsets.

A few moments spent in trying on a "Modart" will suggest more points in its favor than it would be possible for us to mention here.



Visit the El Paso Fair



Visit the White House

**ANIMAL TRAINER FALLS FROM TRAIN AND IS KILLED**  
Gainesville, Texas, Oct. 24.—John O'Neil, aged 35, an animal trainer with the Sells-Floto circus, was killed six miles east of here yesterday, when he fell between speeding cars on the M. & T. road. It is supposed he lost his footing in stepping from one car to another. The body was cut in twain.

**EL PASO TO SHOW TEXAS HOW TO MAKE ROADS**  
Photographs of El Paso county roads, and a piece of the Alameda avenue paving will be on exhibition at the state fair at Dallas on Good Roads day, county judge Elyar having left for Dallas to prepare the exhibition. He carried with him photographs and a section of the Alameda road.

**POPULATION OF CONNECTICUT**  
Washington, D. C., Oct. 24.—The population of the state of Connecticut is 1,114,756, an increase of 206,535, or 22.7 percent over 1900.

**TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY**  
Take LAXATIVE BROMO Quinine Tablets. Druggists refund money if it fails to cure. E. W. GROVE'S signature is on each box. 25c.



## Mothers—

Have you a little girl in your home?

If so, you will be interested in a sale that occurs here soon. This will be our first sale and we are naturally anxious that it be a great success. We are sure it will be as no sale of this character has ever occurred in El Paso.

Watch for Details.  
Wait for This Sale.

## Bloch's

Millinery of the Hour.

## PEANUT WAGON CAUSES CUSTOMS OFFICIAL TO RESIGN HIS POSITION

**O. H. Barbee Says He Got Into Trouble Over the Leasing of the Stand—His Statement.**

O. H. Barbee, a customs employee, accused by J. H. Nicholls of exacting money for the privilege of conducting a peanut and popcorn stand at the corner of Oregon and Mill streets, has resigned, according to his statement Monday morning, the position of sampler and assistant storekeeper at the smelter. The action was in deference to the request of collector A. L. Sharpe, and following the hearing of Nicholls before the police committee of the city council Friday night.

Barbee's advancement in the custom service has been rapid. On February 27, 1907, he was appointed custom assaying inspector; June 6, 1908, sampler at the smelter, class 1; November 1, 1909, promoted to sampler, class 2; May 6, 1910, transferred to sampler and assistant storekeeper. For the past month Barbee had been acting as superintendent of customs inspectors during the absence of L. O. Howell, who was on his vacation. Barbee Monday morning denounced all statements made by Nicholls, and in an interview said:

"Last spring I made up my mind to buy a peanut and popcorn wagon and employ somebody to run it for me. I went to see Mr. Sharpe and asked him for permission to put a wagon in front of the postoffice. He stated that he had no objections so long as the premises were kept clean and the party running the stand would look after the lawn. I stopped one day and had a conversation with Mr. Nicholls about buying his machine and inquired as to the business and profits. Mr. Nicholls stated that he was not making anything for the reason that his location was not good and that orders had been given him to move his machine.

"I then asked Mr. Nicholls what he thought of the location in front of the postoffice and he stated that it was good, but that he did not know how to go about securing it. I told him that I had secured permission from Mr. Sharpe to run a stand at that place, and was going to buy a machine and get somebody to run it for me. I asked him what he would take for his machine and he stated that he did not care to sell it, but would lease it to me if I would employ him to run it for me. I saw him again in a day or two and he proposed to lease his machine to me for four years at \$10 per month and that he would run it for 85 percent, and I accepted his proposition.

**Accepted His Proposition.**  
"Mr. Nicholls moved his wagon in front of the postoffice, on the location I had secured, and had the contract drawn up to suit himself. I offered to pay the rent on the machine, but he stated that the contract did not suit him, and asked me to release him from it, and proposed to draw one which he said would suit him. I told Mr. Nicholls that I would release him and delivered the contract to him, which he destroyed in my presence.

"After our contract was destroyed, Mr. Nicholls became very independent. It was some time before the other contract was drawn up, and when it was drawn up, Mr. Nicholls said he wanted to think it over, later he objected to the contract and it was never signed. He paid me in all \$84.85. After he got the license, which was taken out in his name, he became abusive and said he wanted his money back. I again offered him the rent on the machine up to that time, which he refused to accept. I then told him that I was tired of trying to deal with him and told him that I would pay him back every cent he had paid me if he would move his wagon from the location and turn it back to me, and that we would call off everything. He refused to give me a proper receipt, and also refused to give up the location. I made up my mind to have nothing more to do with him, and I haven't been around him or had anything to say to him for several weeks.

"Mr. Nicholls knew at the time, and knows now, that I had no supervision whatever over the postoffice grounds. He knew that I had no more authority over same than any other private citizen. He also knew that the position which I held at the smelter had nothing whatever to do with my securing the location; that I had simply obtained permission to maintain a stand at that place the same as any other man could have done for the asking.

"I had nothing whatever to do with Mr. Sharpe's actions in demanding Mr. Nicholls to remove his wagon from the postoffice location."

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**NINETEEN LIVES ARE LOST IN A WRECK**

St. John, N. E., Oct. 24.—The steamer Regulus, bound from Belle Island to Sydney, has been wrecked at Shoal bay, nine miles from this port. Nineteen lives were lost.

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## Specials for Tomorrow and Wednesday

These specials for tomorrow and Wednesday should appeal to the ladies especially as it gives them an opportunity to get their Winter Underwear at a considerable saving. Look them over carefully.

Boy's coat sweater in blue and gray regular 75c value.	50c	Heavy cotton lined comforts, fancy patterns, \$3.00	\$2.25
Boy's heavy fleece lined undershirt, drawers to match; regular 65c value.	50c	Cotton lined comforts in fancy patterns, regular \$2.00	\$1.75
Ladies' union suits, fleece lined, regular 75c value.	50c	Heavy cotton lined comforts in fancy patterns, regular \$1.50	\$1.00
Children's fleece lined union suits, regular 65c value.	50c	Table oil cloth in white and fancy patterns, regular 25c	20c
Ladies' bleached fleece lined vests, regular 35c value.	25c	5 ft. Ironing Board that usually sells at 85c;	75c
Ladies' bleached fleece lined vests, regular 75c value.	50c	special	30c
Ladies' Ex. Heavy fleece lined vests, regular 75c value.	50c	No. 8 cast iron frying pan, 39c value	\$1.00
special	50c	Universal Food Chopper, regular \$1.25 value	\$1.00
Ladies' Daphne Hose Supporters that sell regularly at 35c,	25c	No. 9 galvanized wash boiler, \$1.19 value	\$1.00
now	25c		
Men's heavy gray sweaters, regular \$1.25	\$1.00		
values			
Boy's heavy ribbed school stockings, regular 25c value,	19c		
special			

**EXTRA SPECIAL TOMORROW ONLY**  
Standard size wash board that sells regularly at 25c, on sale tomorrow only—13c

## El Paso Racket Store

211 TEXAS BELL 167

## News Brevities

**Train Bulletin.**  
Rock Island train No. 3, the Golden State Limited, due in El Paso at 3:59 p. m. Monday, will arrive at 4:40. All other afternoon trains are reported on time.

**Dr. Cameron, Dentist,** reliable dentistry, reasonable prices, Guar. Shoe Bldg. City hack stand at Longwell's.

**Mrs. Coffman—Spirited Corsets,** Bell 3481.

**Thrice Mother of Triplets.**  
Cleveland, O., Oct. 24.—Mrs. William Clarke, a Lakeside avenue matron, is the mother of her third set of triplets. She is also the mother of four pairs of twins and is herself the only sister of 20 brothers.

**Cooked Meats.**  
We have all kinds of home cooked meats in our Delicatessen department. Jackson's Sanitary Grocery, Phone 353.

**Dr. F. S. Cary,** Robert-Banner Bldg.

**Dr. J. A. Hedrick,** surgeon and gynecologist. Robert-Banner building.

**Dr. Prentiss,** practice limited to diseases of stomach, intestines and liver. Rio Grande Bank building.

**Attempted Cuban Assassination.**  
Havana, Cuba, Oct. 24.—The attempted assassination Sunday night of the presidential palace of major general Pino Guzman, the commander in chief of the regular army, has caused great excitement. The general belief is that the crime was of a political character.

**Dill Pickles.**  
We sell more dill pickles than any other store in town. Jackson's Sanitary Grocery, Phone 353.

**Elks to Smoke.**  
The Elks will have a smoker Tuesday evening. Clyde F. Holmes has the program in charge.

City hack stand at Longwell's.

**Elkins Continues to Improve.**  
Elkins, W. Va., Oct. 24.—Senator Stephen B. Elkins, whose illness at his home here has prompted many anxious inquires from friends in Washington, continued today to show improvement, according to his physicians.

**Dr. Starker,** diseases of the eye, ear, nose and throat. 315-320 Caples Bldg.

**C. L. Billington,** 709 Magoffin. Tel. 1489, painting, paper hanging, decorating Good sauerkraut at Jackson's.

**Brakeman Crushed.**  
Denison, Tex., Oct. 24.—Bert Brown, a brakeman on the Houston and Texas Central, was killed at Van Alstyne today, when he fell beneath a moving train. Three trucks passed over his body. He leaves a wife.

Longwell has the nice hacks.

**Dr. W. W. Pickels,** suite 304 Robert-Banner Building.

**Dr. W. R. Weeks,** chronic diseases.

**Mexican Strawberries.**  
We are receiving, fresh every day, Mexican strawberries, 20 cents a box. Jackson's Sanitary Grocery, Phone 353.

**Six Injured in Collision.**  
Dallas, Tex., Oct. 24.—Jesse Fricke, jr., of Dallas, was fatally injured when an automobile collided with a motorcycle on the state fair speedway Sunday afternoon and crashed through the fence into a crowd of spectators. E. E. Boggs, who rode the motorcycle, sustained a broken shoulder blade and a broken arm. Several others were injured.

Hotel Sheldon furniture is selling fast. 412 Myrtle Ave. Phone 400.

Longwell has the nice hacks.

**E. A. Hensperger,** arch't, Trust Bldg.

**Dr. Warnock,** Dentist, over Postal Telegraph. Gold crowns, \$5.

**Tries To Take Officer's Gun.**  
On being arrested for accosting women on the streets of Juarez Sunday afternoon, Jose de la Gano, drunk, attempted to relieve adjutant of police Valentine Onate of his revolver. Gano was struck by the adjutant with the weapon and carried off to jail. He was given 30 days for resisting an officer.

**New Agnucates.**  
This is agnucate season and we are getting the nicest ever brought to El Paso.

Jackson's Sanitary Grocery, Phone 353.

Don't delay if you need beds or dressers. Sheldon Furniture Store, 412 Myrtle Ave. Phone 400.

Phone 1 or 1001 calls for baggage.

**Board of Tax Appeals.**  
As a board of appeals, the city council, mayor Kelly and city assessor Behr convened at the city hall Monday morning to hear complaints as a result of the raises in property values made by the city council. Adjournment was made owing to the lack of complainants, until 2 o'clock Monday afternoon.

**Dr. Schuller,** Dentist, has moved to Robert-Banner building.

3-4 iron beds and springs. Sheldon Furniture Store, 412 Myrtle. Phone 400.

**Dr. Leake Hyde,** osteopathic physician, 814 Mesa.

Phone 1 or 1001 calls for baggage.

**Miss Cooper's Concert.**  
Miss Cooper sings at her concert this Tuesday evening Mozart's 11 re Pastore. Herr Franz Armbruster of Dresden Germany (Miss Cooper's teacher), says of Miss Cooper's rendition of this beautiful aria: "I consider her in the manner in which Miss Cooper sings 11 re Pastore a piece of finished art."

**Japanese Perishmons.**  
Better have some of these, they are good and an excellent relish. Jackson's Sanitary Grocery, Phone 353.

**Two Fire Alarms.**  
Fire alarms Saturday were mostly alarms little damage resulting. At 4 o'clock in the afternoon a run was made to 1221 Magoffin avenue, where a smoking fireplace was responsible. A

call to Myrtle and Stanton at 6 o'clock was the result of a pile of smoking ashes.

**INSTALLATION OF BOILER.** Fort Bliss, Tex., Oct. 20, 1910. Sealed proposals in triplicate for furnishing and installing additional 40 h. p. boiler, with setting, fixtures and connections, in pumping plant here, will be received until 10 a. m., Nov. 19, 1910. Information on application. Address proposals to G. V. S. Quackenbush, 1st Lieut. 23d Inf., Constg. Q. M.

## MRS. J. P. MULLEN DIES IN CALIFORNIA

### Long Struggle of a Brave Spirit Ends—Other Deaths of a Day.

Mrs. Charlotte Mullen, wife of Joseph P. Mullen, died Sunday night at Los Angeles, Calif., where she has been for many months trying to regain her health. Mr. Mullen was with her at the end, he having left his business here (as proprietor of the International Business college) some weeks ago to be constantly with his wife in California. The baby boy, Francis Joseph, was also there, but the elder son, Robert, was in El Paso, having just returned here within a few days to resume his work in a local printing house; he leaves for California Monday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Mullen have resided in El Paso about 10 years, and Mrs. Mullen has made a brave fight for life and health throughout the time; she has at times descended into the very shadow of death, thence to emerge with renewed spirit and physical resistance for a period of comparative inactivity, from bed to bed. Only those who knew her intimately understood the heroic quality of her motherhood, of her devotion to her friends and her family, and of her everyday living. She retained her fresh outlook on life to the very end, and never gave way to discouragement. A fine, rare soul. She went her way toward the vale of peace with no thought of herself but only of those to whom she must say farewell.

**MRS. VIOLA FRANCES NYE.**  
Mrs. Viola Frances Nye, a widow, died Monday morning at her residence, 415 San Marcial street. She was 53 years of age, and a health seeker. Funeral services will be held Tuesday at 2 o'clock at the chapel of Nagley & Kaster. Interment will be made in Evergreen cemetery.

**CHARLES CARTER.**  
Charles Carter, the limonohol son of Mr. and Mrs. Vincent McMecheen, died Saturday night at the residence, 704 Cooper avenue. Funeral services were held Sunday at the residence, and interment made in Concordia cemetery.

**ALFRED J. DOWNES.**  
Alfred J. Downes, a mine owner and operator of many years residence in this city, died Sunday night at his home, 1217 Missouri street. Mr. Downes came to El Paso in 1880, but lived 11 years at Grande. He has been ill since July. He was 64 years of age, and is survived by a widow. Funeral services will be held Tuesday at 2 o'clock in the chapel of Nagley, Simmons & Carr, and interment made in Evergreen cemetery.

**BODY TO MINERAL WELLS.**  
The body of Ross McDaniels, who met death by a revolver shot Saturday morning, was shipped Monday to Mineral Wells, where his mother resides.

**AUGUSTUS MOODY.**  
Augustus Moody, a negro, died Sunday at his home in East El Paso. He was 42 years of age, and a janitor employed at the Trust building. Funeral services were held Monday afternoon, and interment made in Concordia cemetery.

## INDIAN CHIEF TELLS OF MULE CREEK FIGHT.

Quannah Parker and G. A. R. Day Drawn Big Crowd to Texas State Fair.

Dallas, Tex., Oct. 24.—This Quannah Parker and G. A. R. day at the state fair and the attendance at noon was estimated at \$5,000. This afternoon the famous Indian chieftain, Quannah Parker, made an address, describing the battle of Mule Creek. A large number from towns along the Denver road were present today.

**FORMER MISSISSIPPIAN TRIES SUICIDE AT DALLAS.**  
C. M. Gordon, of Jackson, Shoots Himself in Head in a Dallas Hotel.

Dallas, Tex., Oct. 24.—C. M. Gordon, of Jackson, Miss., is dying at the city hospital from a self inflicted wound in the right temple. He shot himself in a room at the Newcomb hotel here this morning. He formerly was employed by a real estate firm in Oklahoma City.

**FEDERAL OFFICIALS.**  
Deputy marshal H. R. Hillebrand left for Roswell N. M. Sunday night, carrying Jesus Valverde, who judge Maxey ordered removed to the jurisdiction of the federal court of the southern district of New Mexico to stand trial on the charge of conspiracy to smuggle Chinese into the United States.

Fred Logan of the immigration department returned Sunday from Fort Leavenworth, Kan., where, with deputy marshal Chas. Stephens, he delivered the Chinese convicted at the last term of the federal court to the federal prison.

W. H. Frankland, chief clerk of the reclamation service at El Paso, has returned from Roswell, N. M., where he accompanied the board of army engineers on a trip of inspection.

**AUTO BURNS; HUNTERS HAVE A CLOSE CALL.**  
Dalhart, Tex., Oct. 24.—Five Dalhart business men, John McCord, William Bossart, Chas. Peal and Art and William Schloffman, returning Sunday evening from a successful duck hunting trip, three miles from Dalhart in an automobile speeding 30 miles an hour, met with nearly fatal injury by the automobile igniting and burning completely to the ground.

The occupants escaped by tumbling out of the car with no greater injury than slight bruises. The accident was near the Denver road and the party was picked up and brought to Dalhart.

**FARMER NEAR COMMERCIAL SHOOTING PROWLING NEGRO.**  
Commerce, Tex., Oct. 24.—John Anderson, a prominent farmer living near town, shot and fatally wounded a negro, Mert Jackson, early this morning, as the latter was prowling around Anderson's home. No arrests have been made.

**FOUND DEAD IN BED.**  
Corpus Christi, Tex., Oct. 24.—Henry James, a prominent land owner at Lampasas, was found dead in bed at the Stoner hotel this morning. The cause of his death is not yet determined, but it is believed he died from heart failure.

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**MILLION AND QUARTER ACRES TIMBER BURN.**  
Washington, D. C., Oct. 24.—Six billion board feet of lumber, valued at \$15,000,000, were destroyed in the recent forest fires in the national forests of Montana and northern Idaho. The total area burned over in this one district was a million and a quarter acres.

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on the undersuit question? You needn't be. We can't recommend any you can't get better than a union suit for Autumn.

Medium weights cool enough for day, warm enough these chilly evenings. Made from soft, smooth, elastic balbriggan, loomed to last long, and fashioned to fit.

No lumps, bumps or bunches usual with other garments in these. They're shaped in the course of knitting, not yanked into shape afterward.

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**TWO BOYS STRENGTHEN MRS. STREIGHT'S DEFENSE**  
Their Testimony, if Sustained, Explodes Theory That Streight Was Asleep

When Killed.  
Waco, Texas, Oct. 24.—Sam Neff, the thirteen year old son of Mrs. Patsy Neff, and Henry Evans, aged fifteen, were the only witnesses examined for the defense this morning in the trial of Mrs. Minnie Streight, charged with the murder of her husband.

The boys told a story which, if sustained, explodes the state's theory that Streight was asleep when shot. Both withstood a warm grilling by the state's attorney.

The youths declared they were across the street just before the shooting and heard quarreling in Streight's bedroom. They said the racket continued up to the moment the shot was fired. The boys said they then ran to awaken Mrs. Patsy Neff, whom the state attempted to implicate in the killing, finding her asleep.

Mrs. Streight may be put on the stand this afternoon.

**TO BEGIN PAVING OF JUAREZ STREETS SHORTLY**  
Mayor Francisco Portillo, of Ciudad Juarez, arrived Monday morning after a month's visit in the City of Mexico, his former home.

Mayor Portillo announces that the street paving of Juarez will begin soon.

## Important to All Women Readers of This Paper

Thousands upon thousands of women have kidney or bladder trouble and never suspect it.

Women's complaints often prove to be nothing else but kidney trouble, or the result of kidney or bladder disease.

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You may suffer a great deal with pain in the back, hearing-down feelings, headache and loss of ambition.

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Swamp-Root brings new life and activity to the kidneys, the cause of such troubles.

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